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SUBJ: INFRASTRUCTURE PLANNING, COST-SHARING PERIOD 1975-1979

REF: A. STATE 123101, 22 JUNE 73

B. USNATO 4974, 17 OCT 73

BEGIN SUMMARY. THIS SUBJECT CONSIDERED IN INFRASTRUCTURE COMMITTEE 23 OCT 73. EIGHT COUNTRIES AGREED TO AS MUCH AS IAU 60 MILLION IN SLICE XXV. CONCERNING NEXT SLICE GROUP XXVI - XXX, SITUATION CONTINUES BASICALLY AS REPORTED IN REF B. UNITED KINGDOM ALONE HAS NOT MADE KNOWN A POSITION ON NEXT SLICE GROUP. END SUMMARY.

1. PARA 4 OF REF A REQUIRES REPORT AFTER EACH MEETING WHERE THIS SUBJECT IS CONSIDERED. COMMITTEE'S CONCLUSIONS OF DEVELOPMENTS ON THIS SUBJECT ON 23 OCT 73 ARE REFLECTED IN AC/4-DS/913, SUMMARIZED AS FOLLOWS:

A. BELGIUM'S REPRESENTATIVE EXPRESSED WILLINGNESS TO HAVE IAU 60 MILLION IN SLICE XXV AND STATED THAT IAU 300 CONFIDENTIAL

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MILLION IS SUPPORTED FOR SLICE GROUP XXVI - XXX PROVIDED THAT THE POL LINE FROM SCHOTEN TO BEAUVECHAIN IS INCLUDED IN SHAPE'S PROPOSED SLICE XXVI. IF THIS POL LINE IS NOT INCLUDED IN SLICE XXVI, THEN BELGIUM SUPPORTS ONLY IAU 290 MILLION FOR THE NEXT

SLICE GROUP. SHAPE COULD NOT ASSURE INCLUSION OF THIS POL LINE
IN SLICE XXVI.

B. CANADA'S REPRESENTATIVE INDICATED SUPPORT FOR NEXT
SLICE GROUP IAU 500 TO 600 MILLION IF AN EDIP IS
INCLUDED, OR IAU 300 TO 350 MILLION IF THERE IS NO EDIP.

C. NETHERLANDS SUPPORTS UP TO IAU 60 MILLION TO SLICE
XXV AND REPRESENTATIVE EXPRESSED STRONG PREFERENCE FOR
INCLUDING AN EDIP WITH THE NEXT SLICE GROUP.

D. NORWAY'S REPRESENTATIVE EXPRESSED SUPPORT FOR IAU
60 MILLION IN SLICE XXV AND IAU 400 TO 450 MILLION FOR SLICE
GROUP XXVI - XXX, OF WHICH IAU 100 TO 150 MILLION COULD BE EDIP
AND IAU 300 TO 350 MILLION COULD BE NORMAL INFRASTRUCTURE.

E. WHILE UNITEDKINGDOM CAN SUPPORT IAU 55 MILLION IN
SLICE XXV, THE UK HAS GIVEN NO INDICATION OF A POSITION ON SIZE
AND COST-SHARING FOR NEXT SLICE GROUP XXVI - XXX.

2. STATE MAY WISH TO REFER THE MATTER OF QTE NO POSITION BY
UK ON INFRASTRUCTURE SLICE GROUP XXVI - XXX UNQTE TO AMERICAN
EMBASSY LONDON FOR EXPLORATION OF STATUS AND WHEN UK POSITION
MAY BE EXPECTED, PARTICULARLY INLIGHT OF LORD CARRINGTON'S
STATEMENTS AT WASHINGTON LEVEL INDICATING SUPPORT FOR SIZABLE
INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAM AS AN ASSISTANCE TO BURDEN SHARING.

3. US POSITION AT NEXT MEETING WILL CONTINUE CONSISTENT
WITH REF A. RUMSFELD

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